

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Carlos O. PINZON et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1619
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Application No.: 09/733,900)	Examiner: Jyothsna VENKAT
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Filed: December 12, 2000)	Confirmation No.: 5474
)	
For: COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS)	
CONTAINING)	<u>VIA EFS-WEB</u>
HETEROPOLYMERS AND OIL-)	
SOLUBLE CATIONIC)	
SURFACTANTS AND METHODS)	
OF USING SAME)	

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed May 1, 2009, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

The Amendment and Reply is timely filed in light of the Petition for a two-month extension of time submitted herewith, extending the due date for response to October 1, 2009.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.

Attachments:

- Exhibit 1** - Information Relevant to the Use and Availability of UNICLEAR 80/100;
- Exhibit 2** - International Cosmetic Ingredient Dictionary and Handbook ("CTFA") 9th ed., p. 1654 (2002);
- Exhibit 3** - Copies of Claims from Two (2) Copending Applications.